

December 16, 1918.

Minutes of the Nineteenth Regular Session of the State Highway Commission held in the State Office Building with the following members present:

Curtis Hancock, Chairman  
 R. M. Hubbard, Commissioner of Construction  
 C. S. Fowler, Commissioner of Registration  
 George A. Duren, State Highway Engineer  
 J. D. Fauntleroy, U. S. District Engineer.

The Commission was called to order by the Chairman and the following business was transacted:

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that upon the application of NAVARRO County the allotment to said Navarro County on October 8, 1917, out of Federal Aid in the sum of \$30,000 on East and West Highway Number 22 and the allotment out of Federal Aid of \$20,000 on Highway Number 14, North and South of Corsicana, and that the allotment on February 19, 1918 out of Federal Aid in the sum of \$25,000 not definitely allotted to any specific state designated highway, be and the same are hereby annulled. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the application of NAVARRO County for Federal Aid on Highway Number 14, beginning at Corsicana city limits, thence north to the Ellis County line, via Rice, including bridges, be granted out of Federal Aid in the sum of \$130,000. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the application of KLEBERG County for State Aid on Highway Number 12, beginning at the Nueces County line, thence to the Brooks County line, be granted not to exceed the sum of \$50,000. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the application of KLEBERG County for Federal Aid on the post road on Highway Number 12 in said county be granted, not to exceed the sum of \$25,000. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the following resolution be adopted:

"Whereas, it is made to appear to the judgment of the State Highway Commission that the assessed valuation of the property in the county of Scurry does not warrant the construction of the section of Highway Number Seven passing through the county of Scurry, which said highway is a trunk line necessary to this State, connecting market centers of the State, and that it is necessary for the Commission to exercise its discretion in increasing its allotment for said Scurry County, so that the aggregate sum contributed shall not be in excess of the whole cost of ten average miles of said road in said county;

"Therefore, be it ordered by the State Highway Commission that the discretion of the Commission is hereby exercised in the matter of Scurry County's application for State Aid on Highway Number Seven in said county, and that in making allotment for State Aid in said county the Commission shall make and is hereby authorized to make such allotment, not to exceed half the cost of constructing said Highway Number Seven, as provided in Amendments to State Highway Act, 1918, Chapter 71." Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the application of SCURRY County for Federal Aid on Highway Number Seven, beginning at the town of Snyder; thence south east to the county line, be granted not to exceed the sum of \$46,150.50. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the application of SCURRY County for State Aid be granted to the extent of fifty per cent of the contract, beginning at the town of Snyder, thence north west to the county line, not to exceed the sum of \$36,750. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the application for a further DESIGNATION of Meridian Road Number Two, beginning at a point a mile and a half north of Bowie on the Meridian Road Number Two, thence to Ringgold, thence north to the Ringgold bridge crossing Red River, be granted, adopting said designation to be known as Highway Number 2-D. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the application of BOSQUE County for State Aid heretofore granted in the sum of \$4,000 on September 17, 1918, be increased so that the sum total of State Aid granted to said Bosque County on Highway Number Two from county line to county line, shall not exceed the sum of \$20,000. Motion carried.

Upon motion, the Commission adjourned until December 17th.

  
Chairman

Attest:

  
State Highway Engineer